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Re: Proposed Streamflow Regulations

Mr. Stacy,

I support and applaud the proposed streamflow regulations and am encouraged that the Connecticut DEP has addressed the issue of minimum stream flow requirements. I believe that by increasing the protection of the ecological health of our Connecticut rivers and streams by requiring minimum stream flows, we will also be protecting the surrounding natural environments and the indigenous 'critters' that depend on these aquatic rich environments.

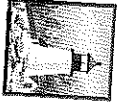
Water is the second most important natural resource that we as humans require to survive on this earth and the environment that water sustains, in turn sustains the very environment that we humans depend on throughout all our Connecticut communities.

However, the proposed regulations appear to be inconsistent in regard to Class 4. Please either strengthen or eliminate Class 4 from the proposed streamflow regulations.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joellen Anderson".

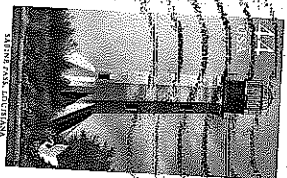
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